

GIVEN HIS FREEDOM.**Ed Gibbs Released from Custody.****The Mexican Aguilar Gets His Just Deserts.****A Scathing Lecture Administered by the Court.****Sam Hamilton Appears as Defendant in a Suit for Recovery—George Murray's Long Sentence—Court Notes.**

After nearly two years' confinement in the County Jail, Ed A. Gibbs, ex-member of the City Council from the Second Ward, was yesterday released from custody and was allowed to go his way, once more a free man. Gibbs was convicted in December, 1891, for obtaining money and property under false pretenses, and the court was about to pronounce sentence when an appeal was taken. The evidence in the case was apparently conclusive, but particular points were developed tending to show that Gibbs's intentions were not as criminal as they seemed. The matter of appeal has remained before the Superior Court, and remanding about two weeks ago reversing the order of the Superior Court, and remanding the cause for a new trial.

Yesterday afternoon as court was called to order in Department One, Deputy District Attorney Dupuy arose and addressed the court in the following words:

"May it please Your Honor, in the case of the People vs. Ed A. Gibbs, this matter coming up on a motion from the other side, I desire to say that after consultation, knowing something about the cause, when the case came back reversed, I was asked by the District Attorney to examine the Supreme Court opinion, and having done so, I am of the opinion that a conviction cannot again be secured. I therefore move that the case be dismissed."

"Let the order be so entered," instructed Judge Smith, and Gibbs was free. As before intimated, the case dates back for its origin to the year 1891, and it is considered that the defendant has been sufficiently punished for whatever lax methods he may have been guilty of practicing by the imprisonment already endured.

In the indictment returned by the grand jury at its September session, 1891, Gibbs was accused of obtaining property and money under false pretenses. In the first charge it was alleged that he falsely represented to J. H. Anderson that he was the owner or holder of a certain promissory note for the sum of \$133.33, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent, purporting to have been executed by one Donald McKay, further representing that the note was secured by a certain mortgage on a piece of valuable land. Further that he was acquainted with the said McKay, who then resided on the property mortgaged. On the strength of these representations Anderson delivered to Gibbs in exchange for the note \$135 in money, one survey, several buggies, horses and other property. It was then learned that in truth no such person as Donald McKay existed, and that the alleged note and mortgage were wholly fictitious. In the same manner it was claimed that Gibbs had swindled one Herman Zuber, the latter giving up

\$1000 of his hard coin in exchange for the fraudulent note.

GIVEN THE LIMIT.
Antonio Aguilar will spend fourteen long years breaking rock at the Folsom prison in punishment for the crime of assault with intent to murder committed on old man Richards. Such was the sentence of Judge Smith yesterday morning, delivered with a scathing rebuke, which the cringing prisoner at the bar listened to with anything but good grace.

Speaking of the plea that Richards had made threats against the defendant's life, the court took occasion to denigrate testimony in support of that defense perjured and wholly, in his mind, untrue. The Mexican was not content with going on the stand himself and swearing to a deliberate lie, but he had also procured evidently the aid of his sister and others to the same effect, and whoever had planned the scheme was guilty of a greater offense than all the rest.

The judgment was that the defendant be committed to Folsom prison for a period of fourteen years, that being the full limit allowed by the statute.

THE HAMILTON CASE.
Sam Hamilton, against whom a divorce suit, commenced by Mrs. Adelaide Hamilton, is now pending, appeared as defendant in a second action brought by his wife yesterday in the Township Court to recover a certain piece of furniture, a sideboard, or the value thereof. Mrs. Hamilton claimed that her husband purchased with money she had entrusted to his care the sideboard and that he afterward sold the same without her knowledge or consent, it having later come to her knowledge that he had disposed of the sideboard, she made complaint against him, asking to have the piece of furniture, or its value, returned to her.

It was not denied by the defendant that he had used the money, and a considerable sum of it, given him by his wife, but the evidence was not such as to establish according to law the wife's right to recover, and judgment was therefore found for the defendant.

A LONG TERM.
On July 25 George Murray robbed J. A. Hicks of a number of silver coins amounting to the value of \$7. It was an old trick with the fellow to live by ransacking from others and after he was arrested it was found that he had served time in the San Francisco and other prisons. He was brought up yesterday in Department One to enter his plea, when he acknowledged his guilt and waived time for sentence. The court therefore adjudged him guilty as charged and sentenced him to ten years imprisonment at San Quentin.

SHE SOLD LIQUOR.
Celestine Sabrier, a Frenchwoman who conducts a grocery store near Porterville, in Tulare county, was yesterday examined before United States Commissioner Van Dyke on the charge of selling spirituous liquors to Indians. She was held to answer in the sum of \$500 before the federal grand jury.

The evidence plainly showed that during a recent fandango on the Tulare River reservation the woman, under cover of darkness, loaded up a wagon with whisky, wine and other liquors and drove to the scene of the festivities. After her arrival there she sold to everyone who wanted to buy, regardless of race, and returned to her home with the empty kegs and other receptacles before daylight next morning. An information was accordingly filed against her.

Court Notes.
The examination of debtors in the insolvency case of E. N. Thomas was yesterday set by Judge Pierce for the 24th.

Judge Pierce yesterday, in the Probate Court, granted J. Roberts letters of administration in the estate of A. R. de Sang, deceased, and allowed the final account and a distribution in the matter of the estate of J. A. de Long.

Papers in the appeal cases of the

People vs. J. M. Morales, Louis Entor and Jennie Loventhal having been filed, the cases were yesterday set down for trial on Saturday, August 26. Edward Belmont, the bicycle thief, will enter his plea to the charge of grand larceny on Saturday, in Department One.

On motion of the District Attorney the order in the case of People vs. Ah Boo, granting the defendant a new trial, was yesterday set aside. Judgment of the lower court was affirmed and a ten-days stay granted.

The suit for damages of Joseph Giermer vs. D. H. Mathews came up for continued hearing yesterday in Department Six.

Ben Holman of San Diego was arraigned before United States Commissioner Van Dyke yesterday for impersonating a United States officer, and bail was fixed at \$1000. His examination was set for August 19.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.
Regular Weekly Meeting of the Board of Directors.

The board of directors of the Public Library met yesterday afternoon in special session. There were present Directors Howard, Hamilton, Borden and President Dobbin.

In the regular order of business the Committee on Attendants reported having held an examination of applicants for entrance to the library training class on the 12th inst., and recommended that a class be immediately organized including the following successful candidates: Misses Anna Earl, Gertrude Edgerton, Alice Frick, Pearl Gleason, Georgia Horgan and Gertrude Young.

Miss Hasse, the acting librarian, reported the circulation for the month of July to have been 32,458 volumes, a decrease in the circulation of the mid-summer month of only 242 volumes from that of the banner month, viz: February, 1893, which produced a circulation of 34,882 volumes, including the public school deliveries.

The active membership of the library July 31 was 12,162, and the number of volumes to the same date, 32,312.

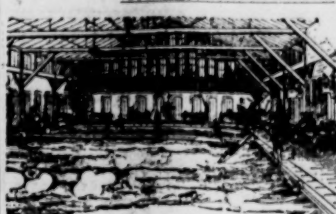
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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.
U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles.
Aug. 16.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.85 at 5 p.m., 29.82. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 60 deg. and 70 deg. Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum temperature, 58 deg. Character of weather, clear.
Barometer reduced to sea level.

Two Mrs. Murphys have just had cancers just alike. One was cut out and the lady died in five months. The other was treated with Dr. Chamber's method, and the lady is alive and well at No. 1327 South Olive street.

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An invitation has been received to attend the Admission day exercises at Ventura on September 8.

Mad. Edwin W. Hewitt, clerk in the Quartermaster's department, U.S.A., died yesterday afternoon, after a lingering illness.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for George Green, William Taylor, Myra R. Brandon, Jeff Brown and Brooks & Ford.

A copy of the official call for the Irrigation Congress, issued by the committee at Salt Lake City, and which has been for several days expected, was yesterday received at the Chamber of Commerce.

There are at the police station a number of articles awaiting owners. The articles are as follows: one tri-square, one half-inch chisel marked "J. J.", three files, one small iron plane and one carpenter apron.

An elderly man named John S. French, who was taken to the police station by Officer Woodward on Tuesday for medical treatment, was yesterday released.

The Board of Supervisors gave him a pass to Santa Ana, where he has friends. An examination of candidates for positions as special teachers in the High School, who have not already obtained certificates, will be held on September 1.

There are several of the candidates who do not hold certificates at this time, and it is announced that if they do not obtain such certificates at this time, their places will be declared vacant.

It is stated that the members of the Water Supply Committee of the City Council will soon commence negotiations for the purchase of the City Water Company's plant. It will be remembered that at Monday's session of the Council the committee was authorized to do it. It is believed that a price may be named which will be a satisfactory one.

The new Amoskeag second-size fire engine recently purchased by the department, has reached this city, and is being put in shape to be used. It is intended that this engine shall be placed in the new engine house at Main and Adams streets; or else that it shall be located in some one of the engine houses nearer the center of the town, and one of the other engines placed there.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miles of Chicago are in the city.

James Hoag and wife of San Francisco are at the Hotelbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Duden of Sacramento are at the Nadeau.

M. A. Burkhardt and wife, and W. W. Burkhardt, all of Dayton, O., are registered at the Hotelbeck.

C. E. Grunsky of San Francisco was in the city yesterday. Mr. Grunsky is president of the Technical Society of the Pacific Coast, and is also a member of a board appointed to investigate in reference to a new sewer system in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Haskell, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hinkel, Cincinnati; Mrs. Thomas S. Wood, Claremont, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Harbison, Cincinnati; Miss Anna Seary, Mr. and Mrs. James Spence, Miss Lyl Davidson, Tusculoo, Ala., and Mrs. Lola Georgean, Salt Lake City, are among yesterday's arrivals at the Bellevue Terrace Hotel.

PETTY OFFENDERS.

Routine Business Transacted by the Police Justices.

Walter Ferral, Esq., appeared before Justice Seaman for the two Chinese women charged with soliciting, and, by permission of the court, was allowed to withdraw the plea of not guilty and enter a plea of guilty. The Mongolian females were fined \$10 each.

The burglary case against H. C. Kennedy and also the case of malicious mischief against Annie Lynch were dismissed.

H. M. Sherman, his wife, Anna Sherman, and John Sherman, her son, by a former husband, were on trial for disturbing the peace. After spending some time in examining witnesses Mr. and Mrs. Sherman were each sentenced to \$10 fine or ten days, but the commitment was suspended. The young man Grandville was discharged.

Charles Nickel, the man who stole a letter belonging to Miss Josie Sullivan, was turned over to the United States Marshal.

THE PLUMBERS.

The Examination Continued—Three More Certificates Issued.

The Board of Plumbing Examiners met again at the health office last evening, and after due examination it was ordered that certificates be issued to Charles Bailey, a journeyman plumber, and to G. W. Neal and Samuel C. Brown, both master plumbers.

It is announced that hereafter no permits for plumbing work will be issued to master plumbers after September 1, unless they present certificates. Examinations will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of each week at the health office.

The penalty for a violation of the ordinance relating to plumbing is a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$100.

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For some weeks past there have been rumors about the City Hall of irregularities in the office of the Street Superintendent. No direct charges were made of crookedness, but it was claimed that the affairs were not being conducted in a business way. Among other things, it was stated that a fee was collected of 50 cents each for certificates of street assessments, which was not being turned into the city treasury, and it has also been charged that inspectors on street work were required to pay a commission to keep their places. Almost everyone appeared to have heard something of these reports, but no one seemed to have any positive knowledge on the subject, for they did not know what the facts were, for which reason no action was taken by the officials whose duty it is to look into these matters. In the meantime, the rumors continued to wag, but nothing came of it.

Yesterday, however, a Times reporter heard of a little transaction in connection with the office which had a peculiar look, and on investigation found that it could be followed up and made the basis for an investigation, at least, which would either clear up and disprove the stories in circulation, or bring the abuses, if they really exist, to the surface, in order that they may be remedied.

The transaction referred to is as follows: Some time ago three requisitions were presented to the Council from the Street Superintendent's office for three blank books, a cash book, estimated to cost about \$20, a record of bonded sewers, estimated to cost about \$22, and a ledger, estimated to cost about \$20, all of which were duly allowed. All of the job printing, etc., of the Street Superintendent's office is given to L. R. Jones, who is the Auditor, and the printing establishment, Jones did not have the facilities for doing the work on the blank books, and he in turn took the job to Glass & Long, who have long done the work and charged \$56 for the three books, \$11 for the cash book, \$17 for the sewer record, and \$28 for the ledger, receiving that amount, less 15 per cent commission, which they paid Jones, and Deputy Street Superintendent A. J. Stewart was told over the telephone what had been charged. Later Jones presented a demand for \$70.50, as follows: Cash book, \$17; sewer record, \$22; ledger, \$22.50. This demand which it will be observed, just about balances the estimated cost of the books, was duly approved by the Street Superintendent's office, the indorsement being in Mr. Stewart's handwriting, the signature being Mr. Watson's stamp; was passed by the Finance Committee, and, after being approved by the Mayor in due form, went to the Auditor, who paid, and is now on file in his office.

From the above, it will be seen that, at the least, a very liberal margin was allowed Mr. Jones, in addition to his 15 per cent, added \$14.50 more to cover any possible loss on work which he handled, which is just a trifle more than an economical Council would be justified in allowing, if they knew the facts.

BOYLE HEIGHTS.

Slight Break on the Cable Road—Personal and General.

Travel on the cable line was suspended for a time yesterday morning owing to a slight accident to the grip of the dummy on train No. 2. The rope became fast and could not be released when the power house was reached and the force with which it was carried in the three strands of the cable, occurred shortly after 9 o'clock and it required two hours work to repair the break.

Dr. D. C. Barber left on Tuesday for San Francisco to join his wife, who preceded him a fortnight ago. The two will continue their trip eastward, stopping at Chicago and also visiting friends in several of the States.

Mrs. Capt. Loomis was yesterday reported as slightly better though she is still very weak and suffering from the shock of the operation to which she submitted on Sunday.

Mrs. John Korbel is at Catalina, where she will perhaps remain for a week or more longer.

Rev. D. F. McKenzie, of the Church of the Ascension, will leave shortly on a month's vacation.

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Wash Fabrics.

12½c
Mulhouse Satens, these are goods that sold with us as special bargains at 25c, they are the genuine article and considered good value at 35c.

5c
Apron Checked Gingham in blue and brown, in different sized checks, sold at 8½c.

12½c
Yard wide Percales, the very best goods manufactured; on our shelves at 20c a yard.

12½c
For Simpson's fast black Satens; everybody knows its price.

15c
For the Satin Glace French Satens; we sold them to commence the season with at 30c; they are the best satens for the price you ever saw.

8½c
Crimpled striped fancy Novelty Gingham; carloads of them have been sold at 15c; they are perfect beauties.

8½c
Red Outing Flannels, 300 different patterns; these are the goods that first sold at 15c a yard.

10c
Swansdowns, Elderdown and other fancy brands of flannelettes, sold earlier at 15c and 20c.

8-1-3c
For a handsome quality of white Checked Nainsook or lace stripe effect, sold earlier at 15c a yard.

25c
These are the imported lace stripe, lace checks, striped and brocaded fancy white dress goods; they are the most beautiful things you ever laid your eyes on, and sold at 50c.

40c
60-inch, half bleached Table Damask, all linen, extra heavy quality and very good for 75c.

22½c
Turkey Red Damask, warranted fast color table linen, and good value at 40c.

35c
Bleached red bordered figured Linen Damask, our regular 60c goods.

12½c
For Barnsley Huck Towels in stock at 20c.

75c a dozen
For extra sized cotton Honeycomb Towels; we jobbed them at \$1.25 a dozen.

20c
For an extra large size Birds Eye Crepe Towel, all linen, we sold them at 35c apiece.

25c
For a superb quality of extra large size Satin Damask Towel; these goods are good value at 50c.

75c a dozen
For French Napkins, the cheapest thing you can buy wholesale is \$1 a dozen.

20c
For a Turkish Bath Towel that is a small sized bathing sheet; bought to sell as a Saturday night leader at 30c.

10c
A Turkish Towel worth just double.

10c
For Shaw's Brown Twilled Crash, an extra quality that is not placed on special sale at less than 15c.

6½c
E 2010, all linen crash and value that you can't duplicate under 10c.

15c
24-inch Checked Crash; this is a most stupendous value; the goods are worth to sell 30c a yard.

12½c
Black French Lawns, warranted fast color; the quality that usually retails at 20c.

5c
Yard wide Bleached Muslin; no further comment necessary.

20c a yard
Red Twilled Flannel, was 30c.

18½c
Red and blue mixed Twilled Flannel, special value at 30c.

25c
Red, white or blue Twilled Flannels, special value at 40c.

10c
For a White Shaker Flannel, really worth double the price.

50c
For special drive in red and white plain or twilled flannel; the best value you ever bought for the money.

4c a yard
Lining Cambrics.

15c
Hair Cloth, was special value at 25c.

9c
Yard wide Silenias, all colors, sold regularly at 12½c.

18½c
Amoskeag Denims, the very best quality made.

8½c
Blue striped Waterford Ticking, a bargain at 12½c.

5c a yard
Nashua brown Canton Flannel, extra quality at 10c a yard.

8-1-3c
An exceptional quality of Nashua Brown Canton Flannel, a quality that is ordinarily sold at 12½c.

10c
For bleached AAA Nashua Canton Flannel; you will find it is worth at least 15c.

8c a yard
Yard wide Muslin, the equal of Fruit or Lonsdale.

6½c
Yard wide Calico, finished soft for the needle, as good as ever sold at 8-1-3c.

Laces.

5c
Linen Laces in all widths, a special drive at 5c; worth from 10c to 15c a yard.

8-1-3c
Colored Oriental Laces, worth 25c and 35c.

12½c
For a dozen yards of Valenciennes Lace; sells for 25c to 37½c.

8-1-3c
For wide Valenciennes Laces, extra fine; sell for 20c and 25c a yard.

12½c
A dozen for extra fine Valenciennes Lace Insertions, worth 50c.

5c
For a 10-inch folding fan and novelties in Japanese fans.

12½c
For automatic and patent folding Fans, special value at 25c.

4c
For Maline Veilings that sold at 15c.

15c
For Barege Veilings that sold at 25c.

12½c
For Galila Maline Veilings that sold at 25c.

5c
For ladies', children's and infants' colored Cotton Hose, goods that sold from 10c to 15c a pair.

18½c
No. 9463 children's colored ingrain double knee, full fashioned hose, jersey ribbed, 7½ to 8½; these goods sold at 35c and 40c a pair; finest stocking ever sold in the world for the price.

10½c
No. 700, children's colored Lisle Thread Hose; this is a superb quality of lisle and sold at 40c and 50c a pair.

25c
No. 875, sizes 5 to 7½ only, in fast Hermsdorf black, 7½ jersey-ribbed extra fine Hose; former price was 40c and 50c a pair.

8½c
For Ladies' Gray Oxford Hose, sold in stock at 15c.

15c
For Ladies' black full-fashioned two-thread Hose; this stocking is awfully cheap.

3 pair for \$1.00
Ladies' superfine three-thread brown Balbriggan Hose; this quality is worth 60c a pair as a special leader; you will find it great value.

20c
Ladies' fast black Seamless Hosiery, extra heavy quality; a bargain at the price.

3 pair for 50c
Ladies' full-fashioned seamless brown Balbriggan Hose, intended to be sold at 25c a pair.

25c
No. 5105 Children's fast black ribbed Hosiery, guaranteed absolutely stainless. Shopper's goods, and a stocking that we sold at 35c and 45c, according to sizes.

25c
Ladies' Hermsdorf dye fast black Hose; the best stocking you ever bought in your life for the money.

85c
For Ladies' fancy lisle Boot-style Hose, a quality that sold in stock as a special leader at 75c.

25c
Men's Bicycle Hose; you will find the identical stocking marked up the street at 50c a pair.

8½c
For our line of Fancy Scrims that sold at 12½c, and also the line of Printed Scrims that sold at 15c.

80c
For the quality of Curtalnette that sold at 50c; if you need anything in Curtalnettes don't pass this by.

85c
For a full-size Bedspread, Marseilles pattern; sells for \$1.

90c
For the celebrated World's Fair Bedspread; extra large, extra fine and sold close at \$1.25.

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
For three special lines of Lace Curtains; you will find them exceptionally fine values at the prices asked.

\$1.75
For a 5-lb Gray Blanket, size 64x78; it weighs fully five pounds, and splendid value at \$2.50.

50c
For a line of Comforts.

75c
For a line of Comforts that sold at \$1.25.

\$1.50
For a line of sateen-covered Comforts that we sold at \$2.50.

75c
For a line of Hammocks that sold in stock at \$1.25.

\$1.50
For a patent Palmer Hammock with self-adjusting pillow; regular price, \$2.50.

Gloves.

10c
For our entire line of Silkolones, plain and colors, that sold from 12½c to 20c a yard.

25c
Pure silk Jersey Mitts, value at 40c, marked as a bargain at 50c.